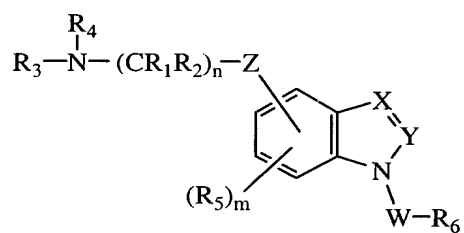


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**5-HYDROXYTRYPTAMINE-6 LIGANDS**

**Abstract of the Invention**

The present invention provides a compound of formula I and the use thereof for the therapeutic treatment of disorders relating to or affected by the 5-HT<sub>6</sub> receptor.



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